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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
v.  
  
FRANCISCO DUARTE FIGUEROA,  
  
Defendant.

NO. 4:CR- 15 - 6049 -EFS- 6  
  
DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT  
OF REASONS IN SUPPORT  
OF THE MOTION TO  
CONTINUE TRIAL

My attorney has advised me of my right under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161, to go to trial within a seventy-day period. My attorney has also advised me that a continuance of the trial is needed, and we discussed the reasons for a continuance.

A motion to continue the trial has been filed.

My attorney has advised me, and I understand that, if the Court grants the motion to continue that all time between the date the motion to continue was filed and the new date for trial will be excluded from the speedy-trial period under the Speedy Trial Act.

After reviewing the motion and discussing the reasons for the requested continuance with my attorney, I knowingly and voluntarily ask this Court to grant that motion to continue and reset the trial date from its current date of 10/17/2016 to a date not later than 4/17/17 for the following reasons as found in 18 U.S.C. § 3161: DUE TO THE COMPLEX NATURE OF THE CASE I BELIEVE ADDITIONAL TIME IS NEEDED TO PREPARE MY CASE.

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5 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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7 Fernando Pizarro  
Defendant  
8 Date: 9/27/16

9 I have read this form and discussed the contents with my client.

10 [Signature]  
Counsel for Defendant  
11 Date: 9/27/16

12 I have translated this form into a language in which the Defendant is conversant. If  
13 questions have arisen, I have notified the Defendant's counsel of the questions and have  
14 not offered not given advice nor personal opinions.

15 Dulce Bustamante FCCI  
Interpreter (printed name)  
16 [Signature]  
Interpreter (signature)  
17 Date: 9-27-16